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Governor Edmund G. Brown, Jr.
State Capitol
Sacramento, CA 95814

Bill: SB 541
Position: SUPPORT

Dear Governor Brown:

The California Board of Accountancy (CBA) is in support of Senate Bill 541 (Price), relating to expert consultants.

SB 541 would allow the CBA to enter into agreements with expert consultants to provide much needed enforcement assistance. This bill codifies a long standing process that allows boards to quickly retain the services of these expert consultants while avoiding the time-consuming formal contracting process. This bill will allow the CBA and other boards to better protect the consumers of California through timely enforcement actions.

The CBA requests your signature on SB 541.

Sincerely,

Patti Bowers
Executive Officer

c: Senator Curren Price